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CONFUSION RATE OF A COMMON
PACKET CHANNEL IN A CDMA
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The listed items were cited by the European Patent Office in a counterpart application, namely EP Appln. No. 01922112.6. A copy of the Supplementary European Search Report dated October 23, 2002 is attached hereto.

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The claims of the application as now presented are believed to patentably distinguish over the prior art and to be in condition for allowance. Early and favorable consideration of the case is respectfully requested.

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